



**TE's Raychem SCREENED T-CONNECTORS AND COUPLING CONNECTORS FOR INTERFACE F RSTF** 1250A up to 72.5 kV

ENERGY /// SCREENED T-CONNECTORS AND COUPLING CONNECTORS FOR INTERFACE F RSTF

TE Connectivity (TE) combines over 60 years experience and engineering excellence to offer reliable and innovative switchgear connection systems. As part of this commitment, we have developed the RSTF: an outer cone Screened separable T-connector for 72.5 kV type F bushings.

TE's Raychem RSTF are engineered to meet the technical and business challenges of today's large offshore wind applications through a comprehensive product range:

- Base connectors and coupling connectors for single- and parallel cable connections
- Screened surge arresters for base and coupling connectors

Furthermore, TE provides an end-to-end customer support including on-site training, installer certification and customized products in order to ensure made-to-last installation quality.

# **RSTF PRODUCT FAMILY OVERVIEW**

# TE's Raychem Screened T-connectors for interface F RSTF up to 72.5 kV

- Suitable for flexible tower cable and subsea array cables
- Compact design for cables with cross sections from 95 mm<sup>2</sup> to 1200 mm<sup>2</sup>
- Reduced installation time as no special tools are required
- High performance and longevity in harsh environments
- Meet EN 50673 standard
- Tested according to IEC 60840
- 100% routine tested
- End-to-end components traceability

TECHNICAL DATA FOR RSTF	
Conductor cross-section range	95 mm² - 1200 mm²
Maximum system voltage	72.5 kV
Continuous current rating	1250A
Lightning impulse withstand level	325 kV
Partial discharge at 1.5 U <sub>o</sub>	< 5 pC
Heating cycle voltage test (2 U <sub>0</sub> )	72 kV
AC voltage test (2.5 U <sub>0</sub> )	90 kV
Ø over cable insulation	28 mm - 70 mm

# TE's Raychem Screened Coupling Connectors RSTF-CC up to 72.5 kV

- Designed to mate with the RSTF T-connector enabling inline- and parallel- connections
- Offering an effortless installation onto the t-connector due to patented design and installation procedure
- Featuring up to 1800A as combined continuous current rating for T-connector and coupling connector in parallel or inline connection





# AN OPTIMIZED DESIGN FOR HIGH RELIABILITY

# 1. Screened Body

A thin-walled conductive outer screen that is permanently bonded to the insulating silicone rubber material of the T-body.

## 2. Inner screen

A conductive inner layer around the mechanical cable lug that works as a Faraday cage to prevent corona at rated voltage.

# 3. Mechanical lug

Mechanical lugs with shear bolts for connecting Class 2 and Class 5 aluminium and copper conductor cables.

# 4. Stress cone adapter

Relieves electrical stress around the cable's screen cut. The insulated section is extending beyond the cable's oversheath to provide sealing against water ingress.

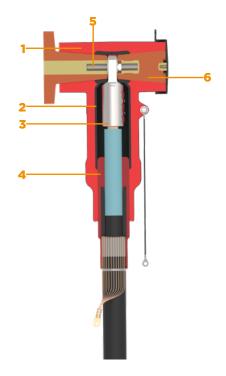
# 5. Threaded pin

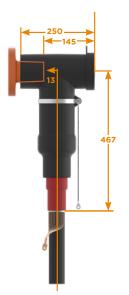
A threaded pin together with a special lock-washer ensure a sound electrical for providing low contact resistance and a reliable mechanical contact that is fit to handle the vibrations in offshore wind turbines.

# 6. Rear plug with test point

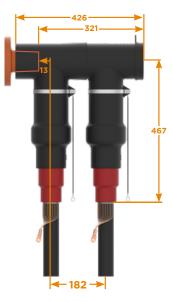
Removable rear plug with capacitive test point that enables to check for presence of voltage.

# **OFFERING A VARIETY OF APPLICATIONS**

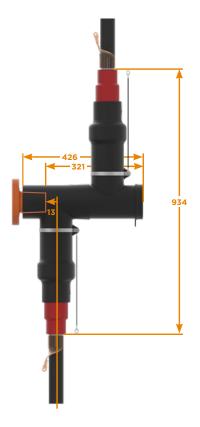




Single connection



**Parallel connection** 



**Inline connection** 

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